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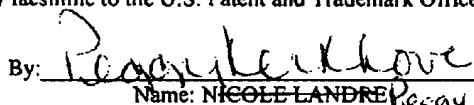
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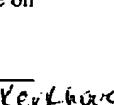
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Title:	COBALT COMPOUND FOR USE IN ALKALINE STORAGE BATTERY, METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME, AND POSITIVE ELECTRODE PLATE OF ALKALINE STORAGE BATTERY EMPLOYING THE SAME		

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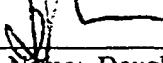
With respect to the drawings in this application, we are unaware of any objections and therefore will assume the Formal Drawings filed with the application are acceptable in the absence of a specific notification of corrections that are needed.



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